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October 17, 2018

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In Re: NCSTS Mid-Winter Meeting, January 27 – 31, 2019

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Dear NCSTS Members and Colleagues:

**Please make plans to attend the NCSTS Annual Mid-Winter Meeting to be held in Tampa, FL, January 27-31, 2019.** The Unified Carrier Registration Plan (UCR) will hold subcommittee meetings on January 28 and the UCR Board will meet in the morning on January 29. The NCSTS meeting begins after lunch on January 29 and runs through January 30. Designated travel days are January 27 and January 31.

(SEE SCHEDULE – ATTACHED).

The meetings will be held at the [Embassy Suites – Tampa Downtown Convention Center](#) at 513 South Florida Avenue, Tampa, FL 33602. The room rate is \$155.00/night single occupancy, plus applicable taxes and charges. The rate for double occupancy is \$165.00/night.

**\*Please note:** those attendees whose travel is reimbursed through the UCR Board, UCR has indicated it will only reimburse travel expenses for January 27, 28 and 29, and that the attendee or his/her employer is responsible for any per diem after travel home on Wednesday the 29th and lodging for Wednesday night and later.

To make your reservations, contact the Embassy Suites by Hilton at (813) 769-8300, and ask for the NCSTS 2019 Meeting Group Rate. Or, click [here](#) to book your room online. **The cutoff date for reservations is December 31, 2018.**

The Tampa airport is just six miles from the hotel and transportation options include: taxis, limousines, and TNCs. There is a Blue One Transportation Shuttle available for \$11.00 each way and reservations can be made by email at: [randyblueone@yahoo.com](mailto:randyblueone@yahoo.com). Valet parking is available at the hotel for \$25 per night.

Registration fees (not applicable to those attending only UCR meetings) for this event are \$175.00. Please submit your registration form to NCSTS Treasurer Latrice Ampy (at the address below) no later than December 27, 2018, so that we can obtain an accurate head count for meeting space and meals. Send registrations to:

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I look forward to seeing you in Tampa!

Sincerely,

*Jerry Mercer*

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